

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Application Number	Unknown 10-808,231
Filing Date	
First Named Inventor	Son Van Nguyen
Group Art Unit	Unknown 2891
Examiner Name	Unknown A. Sarkar
Attorney Docket Number	AMAT/8204/DSM/LOW K/JW

Sheet

1

of

1

Submission Date

MARCH 23, 2004

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number-Kind Code ² (if known)			
AICS	A1	US-6,528,153 B1	03/04/2003	Benzing et al.	
	A2	US-6,495,479 B1	12/17/2002	Wu et al.	
	A3	US-6,645,878 B2	11/11/2003	Smith et al.	
	A4	US-6,437,443 B1	08/20/2002	Grill et al.	
	A5	US-6,312,793 B1	11/06/2001	Grill et al.	
	A6	US-6,147,009	11/14/2000	Grill et al.	
	A7	US-5,510,645	04/23/1996	Fitch et al.	
AICS	A8	US-2002/0180051 A1	12/05/2002	Grill et al.	
	A9	US-			
	A10	US-			
	A11	US-			
	A12	US-			
	A13	US-			
	A14	US-			
	A15	US-			
	A16	US-			
	A17	US-			
	A18	US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T ³
		Number-Kind Code ² (if known)				
	B1					
	B2					
	B3					
	B4					
	B5					

Examiner

As She Wishes Sarkar

Date Considered

7/25/05

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.



Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

1

of 3

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/808,231
Filing Date	MARCH 23, 2004
First Named Inventor	NGUYEN, ET AL.
Art Unit	2812
Examiner Name	UNKNOWN

Attorney Docket Number AMAT/8204/DSM/LOW K/JW

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Number - Kind Code ² (if known)			
AKS	A1	US- 6,890,639 B2	05/10/2005	MANDAL	
	A2	US- 6,848,515 B2	01/25/2005	VRTIS, ET AL.	
	A3	US- 6,780,789 B2	09/14/2004	GRILL, ET AL.	
	A4	US- 6,770,573 B2	08/03/2004	GRILL, ET AL.	
	A5	US- 6,756,323 B2	06/29/2004	GRILL, ET AL.	
	A6	US- 6,737,385 B1	05/18/2004	KLOSTER, ET AL.	
	A7	US- 6,605,548 B2	08/12/2003	LEU, ET AL.	
	A8	US- 6,596,627 B2	07/22/2003	MANDAL	
	A9	US- 6,583,048 B2	06/24/2003	VINCENT, ET AL.	
	A10	US- 6,582,777 B1	06/24/2003	ROSS, ET AL.	
	A11	US- 6,559,070 B1	05/06/2003	MANDAL	
	A12	US- 6,541,398 B2	04/01/2003	GRILL, ET AL.	
	A13	US- 6,541,367 B1	04/01/2003	MANDAL	
	A14	US- 6,479,110 B2	11/12/2002	GRILL, ET AL.	
	A15	US- 6,441,491 B1	08/27/2002	GRILL, ET AL.	
	A16	US- 6,057,251	05/02/2000	GOO, ET AL.	
	A17	US- 2004/0235291 A1	11/25/2004	MANDAL	
	A18	US- 2004/0175957 A1	09/09/2004	LUKAS, ET AL.	
	A19	US- 2004/0175501 A1	09/09/2004	LUKAS, ET AL.	
AKS	A20	US- 2004/0121139 A1	06/24/2004	YIM, ET AL.	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	† ⁴
		Country Code ³ - Number ⁴ - Kind Code ⁵ (if known)				
AKS	B1	EP 1 416 501 A2	05/06/2004	YIM, ET AL.		
	B2	EP 1 354 980 A1	10/22/2003	VRTIS, ET AL.		
	B3	WO 03/088343 A1	10/23/2003	LU, ET AL.		
	B4	WO 03/088344 A1	10/23/2003	LEUNG, ET AL.		
AKS	B5	WO 01/61737 A1	08/23/2001	ROSS, ET AL.		

Examiner Signature

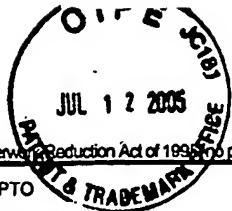
Aswli Kumar Sarbar

Date Considered

7/25/05

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

**SUPPLEMENTAL
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 2 of 3

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/808,231
Filing Date	MARCH 23, 2004
First Named Inventor	NGUYEN, ET AL.
Art Unit	2812
Examiner Name	UNKNOWN
Attorney Docket Number	AMAT/8204/DSM/LOW KJW

Examiner Signature	Asafe Wimmer-Sarkar	Date Considered	7/25/05
-----------------------	---------------------	--------------------	---------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. *Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). *See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). *For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



PTO/SB/08a (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no person is required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

**SUPPLEMENTAL
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 3 of 3

<i>Complete if Known</i>	
<i>Application Number</i>	10/808,231
<i>Filing Date</i>	MARCH 23, 2004
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	NGUYEN, ET AL.
<i>Art Unit</i>	2812
<i>Examiner Name</i>	UNKNOWN
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	AMAT/8204/DSM/LOW K/JW

NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Signature	Asake Umar Sarkar	Date Considered	7/25/05
-----------------------	-------------------	--------------------	---------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 120 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.